

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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Smart Grid Project
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Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Union Government has committed to contribute 20% of the cost for setting up of a full-scale smart grid project in Gurgaon, Haryana;
- (b) if so, the details thereof including the total budget estimated for the project;
- (c) whether part of the budget cost for this project is met from Power System Development Fund; and
- (d) if so, the details thereof ?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) FOR POWER,
COAL, NEW & RENEWABLE ENERGY AND MINES

(SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)

(a) to (d) : Dakshin Haryana Bijli Vitran Nigam (DHBVN) and Haryana Vidyut Prasaran Nigam LTD (HVPNL), Haryana have jointly submitted a scheme regarding Renovation and upgradation of distribution network with Smart Grid features and strengthening of transmission system for Gurgaon at an estimated cost of Rs. 1382.36 Crore.

The scheme has been recommended for grant of Rs 273.20 crore from Power System Development Fund (PSDF) by the Appraisal Committee and is presently under examination by Central Electricity Regulatory Commission (CERC). After concurrence by CERC, the scheme shall be placed in the Inter Ministerial Monitoring Committee for sanction of grant.
